

## STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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**CERTIFIED MAIL** (7003 1680 0007 1587 8539)

Mr. Bruce Eisele Intuit Quincy Data Center 1711 M Street NE Quincy, WA 98848

Dear Mr. Eisele:

RE: Temporary permit for Intuit Quincy Data Center – Permit No. ST 8113

Your application for a State Waste Discharge Permit and for Intuit's Data Center was received by this office on June 17, 2008. It was accepted on June 17, 2008. A Public Notice of Application will be published on September 8 and September 15, 2008 in the Columbia Basin Herald per WAC 173-216-090. In addition, a notice of issuance of a temporary discharge permit was also published during the same period.

Based on a review of your application, the Department is issuing a temporary permit to Intuit for discharge of noncontact cooling water to the City of Quincy's wastewater treatment plant. The effective date of this permit is September 6, 2008 and will remain in force for up to five years or until a new permit is issued for your facility. The requirements in the temporary permit are based off the City of Quincy's current local limits and design criteria from your engineering report.

A permit for your facility is currently being written. The expected completion date is December 30, 2008. The requirements in this permit will partially be based off the local limits that have been established by the City of Quincy. Scott Mallery (Facility Manager) will be in contact with you regarding this process.

Please feel free to contact Scott Mallery at (509) 329-3473 if you have questions or need assistance.

Sincerely,

James M. Bellatty Section Manager

Water Quality Program

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